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## PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b)

Mail Stop: Petition

Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Sir:

As indicated in the Advisory Action mailed August 1, 2006, the aboveidentified application became abandoned due to failure to prosecute, such failure to prosecute being an unintentional delay.

The entire delay in filing the required reply, from the due date for the reply until the filing of this Petition, was unintentional. See 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b)(3).

The necessary response to the outstanding Office Action mailed January 11, 2006, has previously been submitted, as the Amendment filed July 11, 2006. It is respectfully submitted that this Amendment filed July 11, 2006, is a complete response to the Office Action mailed January 11, 2006.

Enclosed please find a credit card payment form for the required fee of

\$1,500.00. See 37 C.F.R. §1.17(m).

Revival of the above-identified application, and examination thereof in due course, based upon amendments as in the Amendment filed July 11, 2006, is respectfully requested.

Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to the Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (Docket No. 501.42822X00), and please credit any excess fees to such Deposit Account.

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